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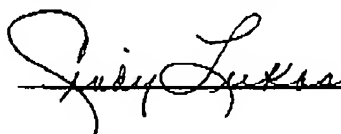
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**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

In response to the Office Action of January 5, 2007, please consider the following remarks and reconsider the application. Any related fees are to be charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account #16-2480.

There are no amendments to the claims herein.

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